

**ABSTRACT**

A camera control card designed for use with a digital camera and a number of image manipulation cards. The digital camera has a card reader, an image sensor designed to capture an original image, and a controllable image manipulator designed to manipulate the original  
5 image to form a manipulated image. The image manipulation cards each have a surface with at least one encoded image manipulation instruction on it. The camera control card has a surface with at least one encoded camera control instruction on it. The camera control instruction is designed to be readable by the card reader in the digital camera. The camera control instruction is also designed, when read by the card reader, to cause the controllable image manipulator to  
10 perform at least one operation in relation to the image manipulation cards when the image manipulation cards are subsequently read by the card reader.